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1. BELGIAN MINISTRY OF DEFENSE (COL.LEFEBVRE) REPLIED ON
JANUARY 19 TO OUR DECEMBER 16 REQUEST FOR ITS ADVICE AND
OFFER OF A BRIEFING ON COMPASS COPE (REFTEL)

2.BELGIAN REPLY NOTES THAT " A DECISION RELATED TO THE
PRINCIPLE OF PEACETIME OPERATIONS CANNOT BE MADE ON THE
BASIS OF THE PRESENTLY AVAILABLE INFORMATION". IT GOES
ON TO PICK UP OUR OFFER AND REQUEST A BRIEFING "CONCERNING
BOTH THE OPERATIONAL AND TECHNICAL ASPECTS OF THE RPV
SYSTEM,ESPECIALLY IN CONNECTION WITH THE MID-AIR SAFETY
PROBLEM".GROUP TO BE BRIEFED WOULD INCLUDE REPRESENTATIVES
OF SEVERAL DIFFERENT BELGIAN GOVERNMENT AND NON-BELGIAN
AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL AGENCIES,THEREFORE,BELGIANS LEAVE IT
TO U.S.DISCRETION WHETHER TO DIVIDE BRIEFING INTO
CLASSIFIED AND UNCLASSIFIED SECTIONS.FYI: WE ARE
UNAWARE OF ANY CLASSIFIED ASPECTS OF COMPASS COPE.
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END FYI.

3.DEFENSE ATTACHE WILL BE IN TOUCH BY TELEPHONE WITH
APPROPRIATE MILITARY HEADQUARTERS IN ORDER TO SELECT
POSSIBLE DATES FOR A BRIEFING FOR US TO PROPOSE TO THE
MINISTRY OF DEFENSE FOR ITS SELECTION.
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